

Two Local Girls Betrothed At Pretty Weddings

TEETER — ENGER

Early summer flowers banked the altar of the Irma United Church and formed an attractive setting for the afternoon wedding of Miss Joy Georgina Enger and Mr. Kenneth Bert Teeter. Rev. H. W. Ingalls officiated.

The bride who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Enger of Irma, was given in marriage by her father to the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pryce Teeter of Wainwright.

She wore a floor length model gown of Chantilly lace over shimmering slipper satin. The fitted bodice featured a portland neckline and lily point sleeves. The long lace edged veil was held in place by a sweetheart halo of French illusion. Her only jewelry was a rhinestone necklace and ear-ring set, the gift of the groom. For something old she carried the same handkerchief as did her mother before her. American Beauty roses and stephanotis former her cascade bouquet.

Miss Shirley Enger, a cousin, was maid of honor and Miss Dorothy Enger, also a cousin, was bridesmaid. The maid of honor wore a floor length gown of pink sheer and lace while the bridesmaid chose a floor length gown of turquoise tiered nylon net over tulle. Each wore a floor length gown of blue tulle over lace with matching headpiece, veil and mittens and a colonial bouquet of yellow carnations.

Little Myrna Taylor, a cousin of the bride and Donna Teeter, cousin of the groom, were the flower girls. They wore matching ankle length dresses of nylon net over tulle in turquoise and yellow respectively with matching blue hats and mittens and each carried a miniature basket of early summer flowers.

Groomsmen were Mr. Harold Teeter and Mr. Arnold Enger, brother of the principals. Ushers were Mr. Don Teeter and Mr. Colin Carter.

While the register was being signed Mr. Arnold Enger sang "A Wedding Prayer." Miss Reta Fenton played the wedding music.

The bride's mother wore the gown was an ox eye signet ring.

Following the ceremony a reception for 115 guests was held on the spacious lawn of the home of the bride's parents.

The bridal table, laid with a hand crocheted cloth was centred with a four tiered wedding cake, decorated in the Coronation design by the well known decorator Mrs. H. Riley. The cake was flanked by pink tapers and decorated with flowers carried out by pink and white streamers, wedding bells and bouquets of early summer flowers.

To receive her guests, Mrs. Enger chose an afternoon gown of aquamarine crepe and lace with rhinestone trim. Her hat was a picture model of straw accented with pink trim and her accessories were pink. A corsage of rubrum lilies and stephanotis was pinned to her shoulder.

The bridegroom's mother Mrs. Teeter, who also received, chose two piece afternoon gown of mauve crepe with matching close fitting hat and accessories. Her corsage was of yellow carnations.

Mr. D. H. Gunn proposed the toast to the bride.

Mrs. E. W. Carter and Mrs. R. H. Dunlop of Indian Head, presided at the tea urns. Serving the guests were Mrs. H. Morse, Mrs. R. Dempsey, Mrs. W. Patterson, Misses: Collette, Irene Archibald, Miss Irene Doolson, Miss Carolyn Morse and Miss Maureen Dempsey.

Miss Mavis Dunlop of Regina was in charge of the guests and Mrs. Mervin Stephenson assisted.

Following a wedding dance held for the happy couple in the Gilt Edge hall, they left by midnight train for a honeymoon to Ontario points including Guelph and Niagara Falls. For travelling the bride donned a Coronation lace gingham suit complimented with powder blue straw hat and accessories. Her corsage was of pink sweet peas.

When they return Mr. and Mrs. Teeter will make their home on the groom's farm at Wainwright. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dunlop of Indian Head; Miss Mavis Dunlop and Mr. Bob

Hilderman of Regina; Mr. and Mrs. G. Fenton and Miss Reta Fenton of Edmonton; Mrs. Mervin Guthrie and Linda of Blackie; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bang of Mannville and Mr. and Mrs. John Enger and Miss Dorothy Enger of Edmonton.

LUCAS — OSTAD

On July 4 the Ryley United Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding when Laurna Dorcas, second daughter of Mr. John Ostad and the late Mr. John Ostad of Irma exchanged vows with Mr. Peter Paul Lucas, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lucas of Haite. The Rev. H. W. Ingalls of Irma performed the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her uncle Mr. Overt Lovig of Irma the bride was beautifully attired in a traditional white gown featuring a high buttoned collar, lily point sleeves and a full train with inserts of lace. The white satin bodice was trimmed with seed pearls and complimented by a bolero of chantilly lace. She carried a bouquet of sweet peas and stephanotis. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a coronet of seed pearls.

Sharon Ostad, sister of the bride was flower girl in a gown of mauve tulle and her bouquet was of roses and carnations.

Miss Shirley Mae Brown as maid of honor chose a floor length gown of blue tulle over lace with matching headpiece, veil and mittens and a colonial bouquet of summer flowers.

Misses Marian and Sheila Lovig, cousins of the bride, were the bridesmaids. Each wore mauve floor length gowns with similar headpieces and mittens and carried matching bouquets. Marian's gown was styled in tulle and Sheila's was brocade and net.

The best man was Mr. Michael Lucas, brother of the groom and he was assisted by Mr. Edward Sliwka and Mr. Walter Lovig. The ushers were Masters Lucas and Arthur Lovig.

Mrs. A. D. Glasgow played the wedding music and during the signing of the register Miss Ardith Peterson of Wetsakwin sang "Be-cause."

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Ostad chose a dress of pastel flowered nylon with canary yellow accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

The groom's mother wore a navy afternoon frock with navy and white accessories. Her corsage was white and pink carnations.

A reception for over 200 guests was held at the home of the groom's parents at Haight. The bride's table was beautifully decorated with flowers and centred with a three-tiered wedding cake.

Mr. S. M. Brown of Irma proposed the toast to the bride. Later on in the evening a gala dance was held on the wedding day. For her wedding trip the bride chose a powder blue suit with white accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas will make their home in Jasper.

SHOWERS FOR JOY ENGER

Members of the Battle River W.I. entertained at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Joy Enger, a recent bride to be. About fifty ladies gathered in the basement room of the Irma United Church where a program was presented under the direction of Mrs. C. Steele. The guest of honor was conducted to her place by Mrs. R. Dempsey. Miss Audrey Jones played the music and contests were conducted by Mrs. H. Morse and Miss Shirley Enger. Then a miniature chuck wagon loaded with gifts and drawn by Ronnie Dempsey and Carl Fenton as cowboys round the floor and stopped before the bride. She was asked by Mrs. Steele to accept these gifts and those on a laden table from her many friends. After the bride to be opened the parcels, assisted by Miss Shirley Enger and Miss Reta Fenton, she feelingly thanked her many friends. Lunch was served by the hostesses.

Miss Dorothy Oldenberg of Vermilion entertained the primary branch at a luncheon in her home in honor of Miss Joy Enger. She was presented with a corsage and a gift of silver from her fellow teachers of the school.

Mrs. Dorothy Hogan Passed Away Suddenly

Irma district residents were shocked and saddened to learn of the sudden passing in the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton of Mrs. Dorothy Hogan, best known to her friends as Dot, after a very short illness.

Bill and Mrs. Hogan had accompanied her to the city for a holiday and when only a few days there Dot got a chill while swimming which developed into pneumonia. She was rushed to the Royal Alexandra hospital on Thursday, July 9, where everything possible was done, but failing to rally she passed away on Sunday, July 12 at 11 p.m.

The funeral was from St. Alphonsus church where Requiem High Mass was celebrated at 10 a.m. on Thursday, July 16. Burial took place in the Edmonton cemetery. Pall bearers were A. C. and Ivan Archibald, J. Jackson, A. Peterson, J. Mann and F. Bradley. Connelly and McKinley were in charge of funeral arrangements.

Since Bill and Dot came to the district from England two years ago they have made many friends and have endeavored themselves to all who have been privileged to know them.

Mrs. Hogan was in her 25th year and besides her husband she leaves to mourn her passing one child Timothy Edward, 10½ months old and her father who resides at Mitcham, Surrey England.

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to Bill and little Timmy in their sad bereavement.

Besides many prayer cards in memory of the deceased floral tributes were received from Jim and Minnie, Freda, Zina and Pamela; Joan and Pete.

Contributions to the Protestant Home for Children were from: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Archibald; Mr. Victor Carter; Jim and Minnie Jackson; and Mrs. M. Bethelwood, Eddie and Lorna Jackson.

To the Cancer Fund: Buffalo Coulee W.I.

SHOWER FOR NEWLYWEDES

Miss Aletha Hill and Mr. Hughie Tomlinson whose marriage took place last Saturday were guests of honor recently at a shower and social evening sponsored by the Strawberry Plains W.I.

The Plains school was nicely decorated for the occasion with a canopy of pink and white wedding bells and streamers.

On their arrival the bride and bridegroom to be were greeted with the strains of the wedding march as played by Mrs. C. Gulliver. The bride and groom were escorted by Mrs. P. Funk to the seat of honor in front of a table covered with a large table cloth and centred with a bouquet of summer flowers.

"O Canada" was sung by all present, then Mrs. Dempsey conducted a good contest and Miss Maureen Dempsey gave a piano solo followed by community singing.

Mrs. Jackson presented two enjoyable contests, one of which tested the skill of all in dropping peas into milk bottles. Mrs. Hill and George Bacon tied here and so evened matched were they it took three repeat performances before the tie was broken, in favor of George.

Mrs. Jackson then asked Hughie and Aletha to lift up the long tablecloth—on doing so they found the space under the table heaped high with shower gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson and Mr. and Mrs. Hill were asked to assist the young couple in opening their gifts. When all had been unwrapped and admired Hughie and Aletha expressed their thanks very warmly. Some flash pictures were taken by Mrs. Reber and a delicious lunch was served. A dance followed.

NOTICE

A Zone meeting will be held in the Legion Hall in Irma on July 29 at 8:30 p.m. to elect a Zone Commander for the coming term. Two delegates from each branch in the Zone will be present. As the Irma branch is sponsoring this meeting a large attendance of Legion members and veterans is requested for this night. Remember the date—July 29 at 8:30 p.m.

I.S. Reeds Honored On Retirement

After the close of school the entire teaching staff and Mr. Gulliver the school caretaker went to the home of Mr. I. S. Reeds to honor him on his retirement after 28 years of splendid and continuous service as principal of the Irma school.

Tribute was paid to the years of faithful work which Mr. Reeds has given here at Irma and the presentation of a handsome travelling bag was made to him.

Mr. Reeds influence on this district will be felt for many years to come and his friends and former pupils all wish him many happy years ahead.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeds are now enjoying a well deserved holiday on the west coast but we hope to see them back at their home in Irma before too long.

Southern Sayings

MANY HOLIDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson left last week-end to visit their daughter Isabelle and family then take in a few days of the Calgary stampede and visit other points westward.

Mrs. J. Hearn of Hardisty is staying at the Jackson home while they are away.

Miss Shirley Anderson of Hardisty visited with Elizabeth Laing at their aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. R. Reber and family over the week-end.

Mrs. Skiles of Ryley is visiting her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. E. Tomlinson.

Mrs. Brick Reed of Edberg and Mrs. Lew Reber of Rosalind is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. O. Setter, Mr. and Mrs. R. Reber and family and other friends of the district this week.

Those visitors to the O. Setter home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Szoke of Hardisty, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Szoke Sr., Alex Jr., and Mary of Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Fitzells and son of Regina, Sask., and Mrs. C. Bartholow and daughter are visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson and family.

A large shower was held at Strawberry Plains school in honor of a bride to be, Miss Aletha Hill.

Glen-Coa Gleanings

The sympathy of the district is extended to Messrs. Jack and Harry Halverson on the passing of their brother on July 11.

Mr. F. W. Knudson accompanied J. Halvorsen on their trip to Boulder, Montana, and Yellowstone Park. We are sorry to have omitted your name in the last paper.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pedal and Pat spent a few weeks vacation at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Likness and Norma motored to the West Coast for a holiday. They report the weather is fine in Vancouver.

Mr. E. R. Erickson and Gordon Hollinger took in a couple of days at the Calgary Stampede. Bobby Erickson of Vancouver came from Calgary with them to spend a few weeks on the farm.

Miss Arlene Steffensen of Saskatoon was home on the week-end of July 5 to be present at the baptism of her niece, the Rosaak twins.

P/O John Erickson, stationed at Saskatoon, was home the same week-end.

Miss Lily MacKay is spending the holiday months with her sisters at Gwynne.

A number of the Sharon folk motored to Hastings Lake Bible camp on Sunday, July 12. Erling Nilson and Sig Gubra stayed to spend a week at the lake.

Miss Evelyn Erickson is off to Grande Prairie where she will spend a few weeks teaching Summer Vacation Bible School.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Erickson and family of Vancouver are holidaying at the Erickson home. Bobby was glad to see his parents after leaving them in Calgary.

We are all glad to see the little orange and black trucks busily running around the country-side. We hope it won't be too long till they will have the power line up.

Irma Ball Teams Make Clean Sweep At Legion Sports

Perfect weather favored the Legion Sports on July 8 and a good crowd thoroughly enjoyed the whole program. Very definitely it was Irma's day to shine for the hardball team, the men's softball team and the girls' softball team each won first money in the respective contests.

Hardball results as follows: Loughheed from Viking, Irma from Hardisty, Irma from Loughheed.

We have been unable to get a list of the softball teams but in each event it was Irma all the way.

The Legion boys were well pleased with the results of their efforts to sponsor yet another sports.

COMMITTEES FOR SPORTS DAY WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5

The following committees are for the Board of Trade Sports on Wednesday, August 5:

Advertising—R. McFarland, C. Jones.

Hard Ball—C. Milne.

Soft Ball—A. Cook.

Booth—V. Torrance, W. Symington, R. McFarland, R. Thurston.

Gate—J. Jackson, J. Hedley, L. Louder, H. Larson, E. Prosser, H. Black.

Midway—F. Drewicki, S. Fenton, L. Meier, C. Smallwood.

Parade—Ed Sharkey, W. Symington, A. Knudson, C. Jones.

Dance—A. C. Archibald, W. Symington, C. Jones, R. Thurston.

Crowns—V. Sampson.

Grounds—L. Meier, A. Knudson.

Kiddies Races—D. Gunn.

Sound System—Stan Murray.

Northern Nuggets

Those attending the IMA convention in Vermilion July 4 were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Miller and Messrs. Frank Kellar, Lawrence Savage, Stanton Coutman and Eric Prior.

Mrs. A. Fleming and Mrs. Ted Prior attended Farm Women's Week in Vermilion July 6-9 and report an interesting time.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clair Lukens on the birth of a daughter, Linda Lou, in Mannville hospital July 4.

Mr. C. DeTro brought his mother Mrs. Clelland down from Edmonton to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Larson for a few days at the first of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Johnson (nee Evelyn Prior) are the happy parents of a new baby boy, Laughen Victor, born in Mannville on July 6.

The sincere sympathy of the whole community goes out to Mr. Wm. Hogan and his baby son in the loss of his young wife Dorothy who passed away in Vermilion July 12 while on a short holiday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Matthews recently had their home struck by lightning which completely ruined their phone and radio and set fire to one wall.

Mrs. Winfield of Rodino has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Edgar Jones and Mrs. H. Bars has had her sister Miss Doreen Kennedy as her guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ramsay took their daughter Claudia to the city Tuesday for medical attention. Sincere sympathy is extended to our neighbors in the Rodino and Mannville districts who suffered heavy damage in last week's wind storm.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Currie left Wednesday on a trip to Calgary.

Card of Thanks

The Irma Branch of the Canadian Legion wish to take this opportunity to thank all those who helped in any way to make the annual Legion Sports a success again this year. A special thanks to the ladies who donated pies and any lady who has not claimed her plate may do so by calling at the Irma Food Market or getting in touch with Keith Coffin. Your support in the past years has been greatly appreciated by this branch and we hope will merit your support in the years to come.

Easterly Echoes

LADIES ATTEND FARM WEEK AT VERMILION

Mr. J. MacNaughton of Prince Rupert spent a short holiday at the home of his daughter Mrs. W. Sanders.

Miss Margaret Steele and friend of Calgary have been holidaying at the home of the former's mother Mrs. C. Steele.

Mrs. C. Steele, Mrs. H. Morse, Mrs. A. Cook and Mrs. W. Sanders attended Thursday of the Ladies Week at the Vermilion School of Agriculture.

Two carloads of members of the Sew and So Club attended Tuesday of the Farm Women's Week at Vermilion.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Morse and family motored to Flaxcomb for a visit.

Mr. Julius Shougard has his sister Mrs. J. Hamilton of Hanna and her son Bobby with him for a month's visit.

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Municipal District of Wainwright, No. 61

Submission to Proprietary Electors

Section 341 Municipal Districts Act being Chapter 151 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942, with amendments.

Before any such Bylaw is finally passed it shall be submitted to a vote of the Proprietary Electors and receive the approval of two-thirds of the Proprietary electors voting thereon.

Section 2.V. Municipal Districts Act.

Proprietary Elector means—

(i) Any person who is a resident of the Municipal District who is entitled to vote at an election under this Act and whose name appears on the Assessment roll in respect of any land liable to Assessment and Taxation; and

(ii) Any person, who is not a resident of the Municipal District, who is entitled to a vote at an election under this Act and whose name appears on the Assessment roll in respect of any land liable to Assessment and taxation.

Provided however, that where the names of two or more non-resident persons appear on the Assessment roll in respect of one parcel, only one of such persons shall be a Proprietary Elector in respect of that parcel and entitled to vote as such.

CHAS. WILBRAHAM,
Returning Officer.

24-31-7c

Notice of Poll

Municipal District of Wainwright, No. 61

BY-LAW No. 416: A Bylaw of the Municipal District of Wainwright, No. 61, authorizing an expenditure of Thirteen Thousand (\$13,000.00) dollars for the purpose of implementing an agreement for the construction and operation of a Seed Cleaning Plant.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a vote will be taken on the above mentioned By-Law, No. 416 of the Municipal District of Wainwright, No. 61, and the polling will take place on SATURDAY the 1st day of AUGUST, 1953, from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon at the following places:

KEITH'S OFFICE, CHAUVIN
RIBSTONE CURLING RINK
DOCTOR'S OFFICE, EDGERTON
Residence of GEO. TURNBULL, NW 23-44-5w4
ROROS HALL
ROSEDALE
PLAXTONVILLE SCHOOL
PASSCHENDALE SCHOOL
LEGION HALL, IRMA
FULLVIEW SCHOOL
and the MUNICIPAL OFFICE AT WAINWRIGHT

and that I will at Wainwright, on Monday the 3rd day of August, 1953, at twelve o'clock, noon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the Poll.

Given under my hand this 12th day of July, 1953.

CHAS. WILBRAHAM,
Returning Officer

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Chas. H. McCleary

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Variety of Business At MD Council Meeting

The Council of the MD of Wainwright No. 61 met in the Council Room of the MD on Thursday, June 18 1953.

Councillors Dallyn, Castle, Sutherland, Belanger, Garrioch, Arthur and Archibald present.

Reeve Sutherland in the Chair. This is an official record of the proceedings.

Belanger—that the minutes of the 14th May, 1953 be approved as written. Cd.

Finance

Arthur—that the accounts as recommended by the Finance Committee be passed for payment. Cd.

Sutherland—that the statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the month ending May 31, 1953, be accepted and incorporated in the minutes. Cd.

Bank Balances, May 31, 1953

Bank of Montreal	16,148.39
Tax Sale Trust	2,157.00
Treasury Branch	11,123.15
	29,428.54

Bonds 36,000.00

Loans Owning 30,000.00

Sutherland—that a Temporary Loan of \$30,000.00 be made at the Treasury Branch if Municipal Grant cheque is not received when money is required.

Administration and Taxation

Archibald—that the action of the Reeve reference to the interim development of a Drive-in Theatre in the MD as per application of Messrs May and Latch June 10 be approved provided this project is in operation by the end of 1953. Cd.

As per advertisement in the March 31, 1953 issue of the Alberta Gazette, page 468 the following parcels of land not redeemed were offered for sale by Public Auction:

N.E. 27-45-3-4.
NW 34-45-4-4.
Fr. SW 34-45-9-4—6.13 acres.

Lot 35, Block 27, Plan 1155 AE, Wainwright Central Park.

Lot 21, Block 1, Plan 1760 BK Hamlet of Ribstone.

Terms of the sale—Cash.

No bids received, Sale declared closed.

Municipal Property

Arthur—that reference to application of several parties to purchase small holdings in the area known as Block Y Wainwright's Central Park NW 32-44-4-4 that this Council approve of such a project, that a committee be appointed from this Council to work with an appointed body from the applicants to qualified under V.A. regulations to find ways and means to establish small holdings and the committee report at July 9th meeting.

Municipal Committee named:—Councillors Sutherland, Archibald, Arthur and the Sec-Treas.

Bylaw No. 417 concerning the leasing of certain lands, Section 217 MD's Act passed first, second and third reading.

Archibald—that the Secretary write J. B. DeFare, Baldwin, Sask., asking his co-operation with the Cresthill Farmers Community Cattle Grazing Association relative to fence lines, if this cannot be done the MD will consider the matter of open range in the Cresthill area also that the Dept. of Lands and Forests be requested to withhold the issuing of a Hay lease on SE 11-43-3-4 and include this parcel in their lease to the association. Cd.

Arthur—that this Council undertake a few miles of road side spraying for brush culmination this year.

Archibald—that H. V. Harvey represent the MD at the Agricultural Institute of Canada at Saskatoon June 22-25, 1953 and that out of pocket expenses be paid. Cd.

Secretary reported that Bylaw No. 416 authorizing an expenditure of \$13,000.00 for the purpose of implementing an agreement for a Seed Cleaning Plant, having received two readings at May 14th, 1953 meeting of the Council and having been posted in accordance with Sub-section 2, section 200 of the MD's Act that a petition signed by at least 10 per cent of the proprietary electors had been received asking that the Bylaw be submitted to a vote of the proprietary electors of the District.

Archibald—that a vote of the proprietary electors of the MD of Wainwright No. 61 for or against Bylaw No. 416 be taken on Saturday, the 1st day of August, 1953 and that Chas. Wilbraham be appointed returning officer to conduct the poll and declare the results at 12 o'clock noon at the Municipal Office at Wainwright, A.M., on Monday the 3rd day of August, 1953.

Belanger—that the following polling divisions and DRO's be approved:

Ribstone Curling Rink, Ribstone,

J. Hilker.

Keith's Office, Chauvin, Don Folkins.

Doctor's Office, Edgerton, Palmer Taylor.

NW 23-44-5 Residence (G. Turnbull) Heath, G. Turnbull.

Municipal Office, Wainwright, J. Nicholson.

Roras Hall, North Chauvin, Emil Nysetvold.

Rosedale Hall, North Edgerton, Chester Zajac.

Plaxtonville, North Heath, C. A. Plaxton.

Passchendale School, Fabyan, A. R. Golding.

Hedley's Hall, Irma, A. E. Knudson.

Full View School, Hardisty, J. A. Bell.

Cd.

Public Works

Castle—that this Council purchase from A. House of Edgerton lots 37-38-39-40, Block 6, Plan 5681 AC, Edgerton, for the sum of \$135.00 for the purpose of erecting a grader shed on same and that the Secretary arrange transfer. Cd.

Correspondence read from the Alberta Government Telephones reference to moving of line from junction of Highway No. 14 into Chauvin nine miles if the MD would arrange to take title of 16 1/2 feet extra right-of-way on the west side of this road, have fences moved and brush cut, that the A.G.T. will agree to rebuilding their lead on the new alignment at no cost to the Municipality.

Mr. J. B. Underwood A.L.S. being in attendance at the meeting explained the additional right-of-way survey.

Archibald—that Cirs Dallyn and Belanger be a committee reference to extra right-of-way and other matters pertaining to the Telephone line north of Chauvin. Cd.

Belanger—that J. B. Underwood and associates be engaged as surveyors for 1953 at the following rates:—

\$35.00 per day—Surveyor.

\$12.00 per day—helper (2).

\$4.50 per day sustenance or \$84.50 per day per crew. Cd.

\$12.00 per day for car.

Castle—that petition signed by several ratepayers requesting a bridge or installation of a culvert between section 21 and 28-42-3 be referred to the Dept. of Highways. Cd.

Belanger—that W. M. McBride be allowed the 2 cents per mile increase in haulage rates during period in 1952. Cd.

Whereas a petition has been received from residents of the Municipality in Townships 41-42 and 43, Range 4 West 4th Mer. requesting the Council to approve of the construction of power transmission lines for the South Edgerton Rural Electrification Association Limited along the Highways, Streets, lanes and avenues of the said Townships and range, and further to consent to a permissive order being granted by the Board of Public Utility Commission of the Province of Alberta in order that the petitioners may be served with electric energy.

Castle—that this Council approve of the construction of power transmission lines along the Highways, Streets, lanes and avenues in the said Townships and Range of the MD, and the installation of such works as may be necessary to serve the petitioners with electric energy provided, that such transmission lines, poles and works are constructed and operated in compliance with all requirements and regulations issued under the authority of the Dept. of Public Works and provided further that there be no liability whatsoever on the part of the municipality for the association's practise and methods in construction, maintaining and operating the said works, further that this Council doth hereby consent to a permissive order being granted by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the Province of Alberta of the Province of Alberta. Cd.

Secretary advised that the Articles of Agreement covering the 1953 Road Grant had been completed and that a copy of the agreement would be mailed to each councillor concerned.

Sutherland—that the pay sheets be passed and paid when signed by the Councillor concerned. Cd.

Garrioch—adjourn. Cd.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY

A Woman For You

"A House Isn't Everything,"
Said Mammie Agnew. By MARY L. AKSIM

THE first word of it was the letter which told Tom Elliott that the Agnew lot was no longer at his disposal for a garden. A few days later a truck unloaded a pile of lumber on the lot.

Was Mammie Agnew coming back to the village after all these years? No one seemed to know, but it wasn't long until the house began to take shape.

A perfect little house with a grey fireplace chimney against the red wall and a low-sweeping green roof. And while the carpenters were still hammering away, laying the glossy floors, along came a landscape gardener and set out rose bushes and lavender and lilac in just the right places, and workmen laid a flagstone walk with moss between the stones. And as soon as the carpenters and gardeners had gone, a moving van drove up, and a woman directed the placing of the furniture and even the hanging of the curtains. Mary Elliott had a good look at some of the furniture from her upstairs window and she said that there were chairs done in white satin brocade. The village wives gasped. It was as if someone had made a wish for the most beautiful little house in all the world and a good fairy had granted it.

For a week the house waited and the village waited too—and then, one night while the village slept, a long low coupe was parked in front. In the morning the place was agog with excitement. Miss Mammie had come in the night. What was she like? Was she married?

Miss Mammie was not married and she intended to live in the village the rest of her days. She loved the house. It was good to get back after all these years. Mary Elliott got all information when she carried over four piping biscuits in a tea napkin just before noon. Miss Mammie, she said, was wonderful, simply wonderful—and her clothes! . . . She giggled ecstatically to imply that Miss Mammie had exhibited her wardrobe piece by piece.

Soon everyone knew that Miss Mammie had had a brilliant career in the city, that she had travelled to

Europe and had moved in the best society, so the village ladies went to call on her corseted stiffs and hatted and gloved and sat uncomfortably on garden chairs and drank iced tea through colored glass straws and ate cool sandwiches with a disapproved relish.

Miss Mammie received them in a simple dress, her silver hair brushed up to the top of her head in a soft swirl. They answered her inquiries about their families and listened to her memories of the village which she had always remembered as the dearest place on earth. They watched her beautiful hands and the relaxed movements of her supple body and looked longingly through her eyes at a strange new world. And afterwards she showed them the house.

They looked at the bright rooms and paused in front of the mirrored doors which gave back their images broad-hipped and drab and touched the hangings surreptitiously and went into their kitchens to set out supper for their hungry families. And at the table they described it all—the Dresden figurines and the watered silk shower curtains, the fireplace and the French doors, to an audience which gulped strong tea out of heavy cups and rarely had granted it.

And Miss Mammie lay under the stars those first evenings and told her happiness over and over to herself. "The dear tranquility of it all. And these dear people. She was at home at last, among old friends . . . And the old gnawing loneliness was gone . . . gone forever."

But in a very short time all the village wives had called on Miss Mammie, had seen the house, had known the hour of its coming—had been, had speculated on Miss Mammie's age and income, had aired their own and their husbands' opinions concerning the wearing of slacks by grey-haired women, and little by little they settled back into the old groove—working in their houses and gardens, humming as they sorted golden piles of fruit for canning, washing up after meals with a great splashing of suds, and if they thought at all of the new house, they grew embarrassed and were inclined to agree with their husbands as to the practicability of pastel upholstery. . . . They hailed Miss Mammie cheerfully as they passed by and they smiled at her—but it was a rich-woman-to-poor-woman smile, as old as creation.

One afternoon Miss Mammie lay on the lawn listening to the Elliotts' noisy if amicably disputing the location of a new rose bush and the excited squeals of the Turner twins as they clicked the pots for a win in croquet, and suddenly, quite suddenly, the little house wasn't what she wanted after all. Mary Elliott saw Miss Mammie locking the front door, but she didn't think anything about it at the time.

The house waited and the village waited, but Miss Mammie didn't come back. A city firm arranged the sale of the house to the new high school principal when school opened.

Months later Harry Turner saw Miss Mammie in the city. She said she was back again as a buyer with her old firm and Harry said she looked happy. But what surprised Harry most was the grey way Miss Mammie laughed when he mentioned the house. She didn't seem to care what had happened to it.

"A house isn't everything," she told him, as if sharing a secret.

"That's a woman for you," said Harry.

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Bird Imitates Telephone Bell

PITTSFIELD, Ill. — A bird that imitates a telephone bell is making it hard for George McGann to watch television.

As soon as George gets comfortably planted in front of his television set for an evening of entertainment he hears the telephone ring. He answers it and is asked: "Number, please?"

"The phone really isn't ringing at all. A woodpecker, shamming his bill on the McGann TV antenna, can duplicate the sound of the telephone bell perfectly.

HOT SUN

When leaving a car exposed to the hot sun on a parking lot, or elsewhere, motorists are advised that it is a safe procedure to leave one or two windows partially open in order to prevent the possibility of damaging the inside of the auto.

Do You Know That . . .

Victoria, B.C., is sometimes referred to as the most British city in North America.

The cushion as an article of furniture dates back to the early Middle Ages.

Rice was introduced into America in 1693.

Mountain Named After The Queen

OTTAWA. — The mountains surrounding Maligne Lake in the Canadian Rockies have been named the "Queen Elizabeth Ranges" to commemorate the Coronation, the Government announced.

Hon. Robert Winters, Resources Minister, said Queen Elizabeth had approved a proposal that mountains which practically encircle "beautiful Maligne Lake, one of the most photographed bodies of water in the Rockies, be named the Queen Elizabeth Ranges."

The proposed addition to the nomenclature of beautiful Jasper Park in the heart of the Rockies was first approved by Premier E. C. Manning of Alberta and Mr. Winters, later it was submitted to Governor General Vincent Massey for the Queen's consideration.

The suggestion to name a prominent physical feature in honor of the Coronation originated in Alberta. The proposal was considered by the Provincial Geographic Board and the Canadian Board on Geographical Names before being submitted to Manning and Winters.

Winters said the beauty and serenity of Maligne Lake had been little disrupted since it was first seen by white men early in the present century. The first to see the lake and mountains were attracted to the scene as a "picture of indescribable beauty, perhaps unsurpassed in the entire Rockies."

"Enough beauty has gone into the composition of this area," Winters said, "to make a dozen regions famous." The Queen Elizabeth Ranges are about 32 miles from Jasper, Alta. An 18-mile highway leads from Jasper to Medicine Lake which can be crossed by boat or skitied by train. From the eastern end of Medicine Lake the trail follows the tumbling Maligne River to Maligne Lake.

A total of 16 peaks surround the lake. The great masses of Mount Charlton and Mount Unwin tower on the west shore of the lake. These ranges rise, more than 10,000 feet.

"The whole scene makes one of these perfect pictures of Alpine grandeur—bold rocky forms, ice and snow gleaming against blue sky, dark forests and a asper blue lake — a fitting memorial to the Queen," Winters said.

Almost Anyone Able To Paint Says Artist

REGINA. — Artist Janet Middleton of Regina says "nearly everyone can paint if they really want to."

However, working it in with housework and baby-tending sometimes presents problems.

"It doesn't really go with housework or babies," Miss Middleton says. "But when you want to do it, you usually find time."

She has no definite schedule except that all her painting is done in the daytime. Miss Middleton, who has staged four one-woman shows in Western Canada, studied art at Winnipeg, Calgary, Banff and British Columbia. She taught in the extension department of the University of Alberta, travelling about the province to work with small groups.

"I found this most interesting and gratifying work," she says. "Concentration in the classes is so much more intense and some of the students turned out surprisingly good work."

Miss Middleton also taught at the Banff School of Fine Arts and she had to work "like a beaver." It was no holiday for either the teacher or student.

She is a member of the Alberta Society of Artists and of the Canadian Painters and Etchers Association. She and her mother operate a small shop at Kinsmen Lake where her paintings and other art work are displayed.

Whales swim mainly by the tail which is not supported by any part of the skeleton.

THE TILLES

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Air Race Held For Women



Taking part in the all-woman international air race from Welland, Ont., to New Smyrna Beach, Fla., are Mrs. Beverly Bell, St. Catharines, Ont., Mrs. Rungeling, (right), and Mrs. Rungeling, (left), of St. Catharines, Ont. Mrs. Rungeling, a flying instructor and mother of a 10-year-old son, was second in last year's race. She will fly her 125 h.p. Piper Pacer, a four-passenger single-wing ship. At stake are \$2,000 in prizes and a trophy.

Home Workshop



Two designs for home workshop. Pattern 238. Distinctive Mail Boxes.

Here are two unusual mail boxes. The cut-out design and wheels turn an ordinary rural mail box into a realistic covered wagon. Also on the same pattern is the bird design cut out of plywood for beside the front door. Actual-size cutting guides and directions are on Pattern 238. The price is 35 cents.



Make This Bedroom Set With Hand Tools. This bedroom is completely furnished with pieces made with the five patterns listed in the sketch. Twin size beds also may be made with Pattern 303 and any type of spring may be used. No cabinet-making skill is needed. Each step is shown. The patterns are 35 cents each, or all five for \$1.50.

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Siamese Twin Fish In B.C. Create Problem

CRANBROOK, B.C. — Siamese twin fish have been hatched at the game commission hatchery here and local fishers were showing some concern as to the fish were human.

The twins are doing well at present, still feeding from their egg sack, but Jim Varty, an assistant at the hatchery, said officials were trying to figure out what to do when the twins early supply of nourishment is gone.

The fish—speckled trout—are joined at the side just below the dorsal fin and have only one egg sack. Only one can swim at a time, with the other tagging along.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS ARE SAYING:

The Blue Valley (Seward, Nebraska) "Blade" gave a great deal of front page space to giving a send-off to the party of over a score of Seward basketball players and other citizens who they left on their trip by chartered bus for Seward, Alaska, last week. "Alaska Or Bust!" was the slogan for the 4,135-mile trip and return.

Five stop overs were scheduled on the outward trip, Sheridan, Wyo.; Lethbridge, Alberta; Dawson Creek, Laid River Camp, White Horse, Tok Junction Alaska. The "Blade" publicized that the party during their stay in Athabasca would be guests of the Athabasca and District Board of Trade.

All of which can be taken by the American readers of the "Blade" as quite a "plum" for Athabasca. Add this to the fact that the visitors expressed themselves highly of the cordiality extended to them, and it's all good publicity—Athabasca Echo, Athabasca, Alta.

Say, about there, there stop signs they got in Riverhurst. Do I have to stop at them when I'm walking? Answer—You sure do, feller. You stop, and take off your boots and socks and count your toes before you can go on. If you don't they may put you in the cooler. Sure thing. The Weekly Courier, Riverhurst, Sask.

Provide Compensation For B.C. Civil Defence Workers

OTTAWA. — Cost of extending full benefits of the provincial Workmen's Compensation Act to British Columbia's civil defence workers who may be injured on training or exercises is to be shared equally by the federal and provincial governments. This was disclosed in a joint statement by Hon. Paul Martin, federal minister in charge of civil defence, and Hon. W. D. Black, British Columbia's provincial secretary.

Mr. Martin noted that the agreement is similar to one made in Ontario, arising from Ottawa's offer to share costs of compensation which the provinces might agree to pay to anyone killed or injured while serving in official civil defence organizations.

Civil defence officials expect that other provinces will take advantage of the compensation cost-sharing plan as they have of other offers of federal assistance with expenditures for such civil defence projects as development and training of disaster preparedness services, the purchase of equipment, etc. Officials also believe that such agreements are valuable aids to recruiting civil defence workers.

Mr. Martin said that the British Columbia agreement covers persons training for, as well as actually engaged in, civil defence work. This is defined as "all measures, other than military, carried out under the direction of the provincial director of civil defence or any local civil defence authority, designed, or intended to protect and preserve life, property and public services against any form of enemy attack and to minimize damage therefrom, and includes training."

HAPPY HOLLY CONTEST

Win big cash prizes or valuable merchandise it's time to make this year's vacation one to remember! Every week, for nine weeks, the makers of Blue Bonnet Margarine are awarding a \$500 cash first prize . . . \$200 in additional cash prizes . . . plus 10 pieces of Melburn's superb new "Comet" Aeropack Margarine . . . plus a wonderful Northern "Sportsman" portable radio! 23 big prizes every week! 207 prizes worth over \$10,000; in all! Final week's contest ends midnight July 11th. Simple rules at your grocer's and in packages of Blue Bonnet Margarine.

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—By Les Carroll

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Wheat Pool Scholarships

The Alberta Wheat Pool announces the inauguration of scholarships at the University of Alberta to the value of \$500 a year for two rural students from Alberta high schools. One to a student whose home is in the southern half of the province and one in the northern half of the province. These students have the right to select their own courses.

These scholarships are restricted to students whose homes are on farms and the awards will be made on the basis of a satisfactory record in the Grade 12 examinations for complete senior matriculation and of the need for financial assistance. In applying for one of these scholarships the Alberta Wheat Pool's local field service personnel should be used for reference.

For the purpose of this award the southern half of the province is defined as that part of Alberta inclusive of and south of township 44. Application forms are available from the Registrar, University of Alberta. The final date for receiving such forms at the University is August 10.

Alberta Wheat Pool

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CREAMERY AWARDS AT BRANDON EXHIBITION

In the first prize group of creamery butter exhibited at the Brandon Exhibition, 1953, the special award was won by the North Star Creamery of Arborg, Manitoba by only a tenth of a point above the Vikings Co-op Creamery Ass'n of Viking, Alberta. Cheese made a good showing by winning the top three awards in straight placing.

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THOUGHT THEY WERE FOLLOWED BY GHOSTS

(From The Viking News)

A couple east of town were quite upset about seeing "ghosts" while driving to town last Thursday evening when they saw strange lights in that neighborhood. It finally narrowed down to the Wainwright army camp where these "lights" were sent up as part of army exercises. Those who saw the lights say they certainly looked like out of this world.

Jarrow News

JARROW CHURCH REDEDICATED

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meakins on the birth of a son at the Viking hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Christiansen were recent visitors at Stan Bridge-man's.

Mrs. Morton and daughter Margaret of Regina spent a few days at the home of Mike and Marjorie Oraschki recently. Margaret and Marjorie were room-mates while attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Meakins and Mr. and Mrs. R. Mark attended the FUA convention at Vermilion on July 4. All members and others interested are urged to attend the FUA meeting at Jarrow hall on Monday, July 27. A report of the convention will be given at this meeting.

Donald Wade of Viking is spending part of his holiday with his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Campbell.

Olga Bruhaug is enjoying a month's holiday from her duties at the Vegreville hospital.

Mrs. Ted Skori and Leonard are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Arrowsmith at Ferni, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuder, Martha and Murray, have been visiting relatives and friends around Jarrow and Irma for the past two weeks. They return to Saskatoon on Sunday.

The pupils of the Metropolitan school are to be congratulated on their splendid showing at the Edmonton Exhibition, having won 32 prizes. Mr. Gilbert Comley is also to be congratulated on taking first prize on a hooked rug.

Wayne Pendleton is spending a few days with Bert and Todd Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Young and family of Edmonton visited with the Meakins, Lingley and White families a couple of weeks ago. While they were here they all went to King's Park for an afternoon picnic. Even the oldsters enjoyed the weiner roast and a dip in the river.

We are glad to see that Mrs. Gordon Meakins is home again after having spent a week or so at the Viking hospital.

Kenneth Oraschki and Grant Lind are on a Grain Club tour at Calgary.

Considerable damage was done to the gardens and crops around Jarrow by the wind and hail on Sunday p.m.

The W.A. wish to thank all who gave so generously and helped out to willingly with the lunch at both the Myers and Lindbergs sales.

The Jarrow church was filled to hear the rededication service on July 5. Mr. Ling Sr. brought greetings from the Central United church at Calgary and also told the children's story. A quartette sang the dedication hymn. Sallman's "Christ at Heart's Door" was unveiled in memory of a number of friends who have passed on. Mr. Ling Jr. brought a timely message of hope and cheer but emphasized that the greatest need of our times was the rededication of our own lives.

The Lindberg family was honored at a party given for them at the hall on July 19. Dancing was indulged in. Just before supper they were presented with a gift of silverware from their many friends and neighbors. The Lindbergs have taken an active part in the affairs of the community during their many years of residence at Batts and will be greatly missed. The best of wishes go with them in their new home at Portland, Oregon.

Some that took in the Exhibition last week were the Beer family, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Ronjom and family and Osmond.

Visitors around town lately were Mrs. E. Lindquist and Mr. A. Johnson.

For Sale by Tender

Sealed tenders will be accepted by the undersigned up until noon, Monday, July 27, 1953, for the purchase of the following assets of the estate of Irma Sales and Service Limited, Irma, Alberta, in bankruptcy:

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MD Council Special Meeting

A Meeting of the Committee appointed by Council June 18, 1953, Motion 206B reference to the ways and means to establish small holdings, under V.L.A. regulations in the area now known as Block Y, NW 32-44-6-4 met in the Council room of the MD on the evening of Monday, June 22, 1953 at 8 p.m.

Those in attendance as follows: Councillors, Sutherland, Archibald, Arthur, Chas. Wilbraham Secretary-Treasurer for the MD.

Messrs. Wilkinson and Ketchen for the Veterans and Messrs. J. Butterworth S.S. of Canada, Wyatt Building Inspector V.L.A. Messrs. Gordon and Brower Rural Planning Board and Underwood A.L. Surveyor.

Mr. Sutherland Chairman of the meeting.

The existing plan of Wainwright's Central Park was placed before the meeting and proposals as to area for the small holdings were made after some debate and questions asked and answered.

Mr. Arthur moved that this committee duly appointed recommend that the 57.85 acres known as Block Y with the exception of a strip 150 feet in width on the North end of the area running parallel with Highway No. 14 be surveyed into 15 parcels of 3 acres or more or less in area that cross streets running east and west be reserved in the survey also at least 66 feet for road allowance on the East side of the area running North and South be reserved, also it was agreed that Mr. J. R. Underwood A.L.S. submit a tentative plan of the area to the Council prior to July 9 after it has received the approval of the Town and Rural Planning Board.

No more business before the Committee. Mr. Sutherland expressed his thanks and the thanks of the Municipal Council for the prompt action of the planning Bd. and co-operation of the Surveyor and other interested parties and wished this project every success.

M. Archibald moved the meeting adjourn.

TRY A TIMES WANT AD

Entire District Suffers From Hail and Windstorm

(From The Viking News)

A violent hail storm augmented by a driving 75 mile an hour wind razed the crops in a large area in this district last Tuesday afternoon at about 6 o'clock. During the fifteen minutes that the storm continued in velocity it wreaked havoc with windows, buildings, trees, gardens and shrubbery.

In town hardly a building was left untouched by the fury of the hail and gale. The storm coming from the west shattered big windows in the stores and business places on the east side of Main Street causing damage to the interiors as well as from the accompanying rain. Only buildings with plate glass fronts stood up to the onslaught of hail stones that crashed through ordinary glass like tissue paper. Residents suffered greatly as windows were smashed into smithereens and water rushed in to damage floors and furniture. Many places looked like a shambles after the storm abated.

From the country as far south as fifteen miles and at least twelve miles north come reports of extreme hail and storm damage to crops. The storm reached hurricane proportions in the Rodino district north of Kinross where three residences, fourteen barns and granaries were lifted by the wind and scattered over the farms. Large trees were uprooted and even heavy machinery was moved several rods as if some unseen power had played with them like toys.

HAIL STONE RESULTS
After the storm ceased everybody got busy boarding up their windows with plywood or anything that was handy to plug the gaps made by hail and wind.

Window glass was at a premium until a shipment was received the next day.

The hospital suffered from the hail and the matron and staff worked like trojans to repair windows and pick up scattered glass.

The Carena withstood the blast

except for several pieces of the aluminum roofing storm apart.

The churches also took a beating from the hail shattering the windows and doing other damage.

In the Rodino district Mrs. D. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holzar, and Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Beckett lost their homes and furniture in the tornado that struck like an angry cobra and scattered their belongings to the four winds. Mrs. Johnston and son received severe injuries and taken to the Viking hospital for medical attention. Several others in the path of the tornado received minor injuries.

Messrs. Bill Johnston and Wm. Revill formed the "Rodino Hurricane Relief Fund" for the above families who lost everything in the holocaust. Lists have been placed in several business places in town, Kinross, Minburn and other points so that others more fortunate may assist in rehabilitating these folks.

We hear that the Damer Anderson residence was the only one in town that had no broken windows.

The well kept shelterbelt that Jack Reishus had on his farm northeast of town was a victim of the storm. Jack says that maple trees six inches in diameter were twisted off like weeds in a potato patch. He says he wouldn't take a thousand dollars for the shelter belt which has taken years to grow, but he figures he can grow another crop of grain next year.

The Viking district was not the only spot touched by the hail. Reports from Daysland, Minburn, Innisfree, Vermilion and Lloydminster are that they took it on the chin too.

Hail insurance adjusters have been busy both in town and country. Also E.F.A. representatives have looked over the situation.

Cattle and hogs seem to have weathered the hail but flocks of chickens are not laying any more eggs.

No doubt lots of stories could be written about the storm but this is all for this week. It doesn't make good news.

Agreements Under Discussion at Hospital Meeting

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of the Irma Municipal Hospital Board held in the Village office, Irma, on the 20th day of July, 1953 at 8 p.m.

Full board present: F. M. Hill, A. C. Archibald, W. N. Frickleton, F. M. Hill, Chairman.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and on motion of A. C. Archibald was passed as written.

Matters dealt with arising therefrom:

Amendment to Viking Contract

re "Cost of Extras." Not approved by Minister in view of legislation regarding Special Service Regulations, O.C. 816/53 effective July 1, 1953.

Motion No. 1—Archibald.
That the Board (subject to the approval of the Minister) enter into special service agreements (as regulated and provided for in Special Hospital Services as are defined under Regulations pursuant to Section 3h of the Hospitals Act and O.C. 816/53) with all hospitals having existing contracts with the Board, same to be effective July 1, 1953, and further that existing contract holders shall have the same privileges as ratepayers and non resident ratepayers without extra charge during the current year 1953, and that a Bylaw be introduced before this meeting covering this matter.

Bylaw No. 2— for the purpose of governing Motion No. 1, passed first, second and third reading. Re Wainwright agreement dated April 11, 1953, returned by Minister as not approved with suggested amendment thereto contained in letter dated May 20, 1953.

Motion No. 2—Archibald.
That the Wainwright agreement be amended to conform with the wording as contained in the said letter dated May 20, 1953 and again be forwarded to the Minister for approval.

Financial Statement as at June 30, 1953. June receipts \$1074.00. Disbursements Nil. Bank balance Treasury Branch \$6537.81.

Hill—that financial statement be accepted as presented and that the following accounts due for payment as examined by the Board be paid:

R. C. McFarland	\$58.00
A. C. Charter	55.00
St. Anne's Hospital	259.00
Matthews Co.	20.00
Viking MHD No. 10	100.20
Mannville Hospital No. 1	84.50
Wainwright Hosp. No. 17	954.00
Hill—adjourn.	

IRMA TIMES MAIL BAG

The Irma Times mail bag has been particularly interesting these past two weeks. First came a letter from Mrs. Arnold Hill of Rycroft bearing the always welcome subscription renewal and this original description of weather and roads in Peace River area: "We are practically web-footed from the wet this spring. It made reading late and on top of that this Peace River mud is something out of this world. You can't believe it until you begin to walk around in it. Wheels on cars or wagons plug up and stop turning and when you try walking your feet soon take on the proportions of an air tight heater. After that you lose your boots and start talking to yourself." No, Marney, we haven't had it quite like that but the other day we thought the recent heat wave which followed our wet spell had gone to the heads of some of our most prominent citizens for there in the middle of Main St. under the burning July sun were the members of the famous Irma Coffee Club casting with a fishing rod and fly and no water nearer than Johnson's slough and no living fish closer than the Battle River. Haven't got it figured out yet.

Then we've received holiday post cards from Mrs. McKean at Torquay in Devon, Mrs. Reeves at Domborg, Holland, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Firkus at Stevens Point, Wis., and a very lovely lake and mountains scene from Mrs. and Mrs. P. A. Nilson in Sunmore, Norway. Peter and Nanette send regards to all friends here and say they have enjoyed helping relatives with the haying they hang bay on fences to dry out, and in the picture you can see the hay-draped fences. The grass must be very long there.

To return to Mrs. McKean, we want to especially thank her for the beautiful Coronation program and illustrated pages she sent. There is a long letter due her in the near future.

Alberta Wheat Pool Patronage

The Alberta Wheat Pool intends to operate for the crop year 1953-54 on a patronage dividend basis in keeping with the co-operative principles on which the Pool was formed. The following notice is published with the provisions of "The Income Tax Act":

"As required by 'The Income Tax Act' this will advise our members that it is our intention to make a payment in proportion to patronage in respect to the year ending the 31st day of July, 1954, and we hereby hold forth the prospect of a patronage payment accordingly."



"IT'S ALBERTA POOL ELEVATORS FOR ALBERTA FARMERS"

Kinsella Sports July 29

The Kinsella Branch of the Canadian Legion and the Kinsella Elks Lodge have combined to sponsor the annual sports day at Kinsella on Wednesday, July 29. The sports grounds are situated on the main highway west of Kinsella, and the sports events start at 1 p.m.

Included in the sports events is a Men's Soft Ball Tournament, with first prize \$40, second \$30 and third \$10, also a fourth prize of \$10 if 8 teams are fielded. Entries for this tournament should be sent to B. R. Davis, Kinsella.

Other features are midway games, shetland ponies, kiddies races, and refreshment booths on grounds. A good picture show at 8:30 p.m. after which a grand dance in the community hall to top off the day.

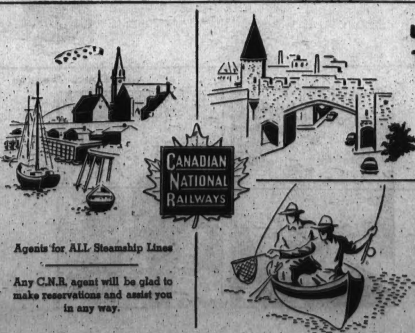
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Aviation Seen As Vital Aid To Canadian Farming Industry

BUDWORM CITY, N.B.—A brand new Canadian industry may grow up from this collection of canvas-and-wood camps and rough, gravel-surfaced airfield. Here, where the world's largest experiment in aerial spraying is taking place, in an effort to stop a Spruce Budworm epidemic, Canadians are learning for the first time that aircraft may soon be considered as vital an aid to agriculture as the tractor.

This particular job, of course, is concerned only with forest spraying. The 79 biplanes operating every favorable hour are engaged in spreading a DDT fog over 1,500 square miles of woods in an effort to kill off the Budworm which is threatening to destroy valuable stands of softwood.

But a chat with some of the big U.S. spray plane operators who, under the direction of F. H. Tom Wheeler, president, Wheeler Airlines, are taking part in this operation indicates that this is only one of many uses of these machines.

Al Baxter, a short, solidly-built man who operates a fleet of spray planes on the west coast of the U.S., is convinced that "there is a great future in Canada for this type of work."

First, of course, would be future operations such as this one organized by Forest Protection Limited. Already the Budworm is making an appearance in the Gaspé forests and is on the move across Canada. It could be that spraying will be the only way of stopping this spruce killer.

But it is in the field of agriculture where the big future lies, Mr. Baxter is convinced.

"Planes can be used to spread fertilizer cheaply and effectively," he said. As an example, he told how, in the state of Washington, farmers had been accustomed to letting wheat fields lie fallow one year to "rest" them.

"They way they got 30 bushels an acre," he said. "Now, we fertilize these fields by plane. No acreage lies fallow and the yield has been upped to 40 bushels an acre."

Mr. Baxter is convinced that all types of crops can be protected by aerial spraying. His outfit, for instance, dusts cotton crops in the deep south, spreads weed killer in Texas, kills off potato bugs in the Idaho fields and helps keep orchards healthy in his home state of Washington.

"There is no reason why this can't be done in Canada," he said. "The eastern forests could be protected, the Annapolis and Niagara peninsulas dusted, the wheat fields of the west weeded and the truck gardens of the west coast kept free of bugs—all from the air."

To date, there are only a few small spray outfits in Canada, one in British Columbia, one in Ontario and one in Quebec. Mr. Baxter thinks air-minded businessmen are missing a big opportunity by not jumping into this field right now.

There is also the great unexplored possibility of giving Canadians a new, bite-free life in their cities and vacation spots through aerial spraying. "Black flies and mosquitoes can be eliminated by cheap, aerial spraying," he claimed. And this camp in the heart of the New Brunswick forest would seem to bear him out.

Here, it is true, the DDT spray has been aimed at the Spruce Budworm. Great care has been taken to make sure that it will not affect the bird life in the area, nor ruin the fine fishing streams in which New Brunswick abounds.

But there was nothing anyone could do about the fact that this same spray has made Budworm City a camper's paradise. There is not a mosquito or black fly to be found.

A man can walk through the thick woods (if he has an efficient guide) or stand on the bank of a stream and fish for hours. Never once will he have to swat at a bothersome gnat.

Little Red Hen Greatly Perturbed By "Duckie" Brood

BAZYLON, N.Y.—The Rhode Island Red hen can't understand it. For 27 days she sat on a batch of nine eggs. When they hatched, they took to the water just like ducks.

"That's because they are ducks," said the hen to her hatchlings. "Long Island builder found their eggs during excavation work. The hen is happy taking care of the ducks until they know why they're daily swim. Then she walks along the water's edge and gives out with bewildered clucks."

Helpful Hints

"To prevent the metal parts of a bandbox from tarnish and discoloration, give them a protective finish with a coat of two thin white shells."

If the glue or paste bottle is hard to open, immerse in hot water for a few minutes, and the top will come off without the least difficulty.

Oiling and polishing clocks should be kept in the air. There is a danger of spontaneous combustion if they are closed up, and also of the oil spreading to other things around it.

Place a clean marble in the bottom of the cooking utensil when making custards or sauces. This will eliminate the continuous stirring and save time. The marble rolls, and bubbles and prevents burning.

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In Paris, housewives used to bring their dough to be baked in public ovens.

Water Wisdom!



Courtesy Red Cross Water Safety.

Funny and Otherwise

"Do you believe in free speech, Mr. Parkinson?"
"Certainly!"
"Then can I use your telephone?"

His hatchet-faced mother-in-law had written to say that she was coming to live with them. As she approached the house she saw a large crowd. Pushing her way to the front, she blinked in consternation at the damage a midnight fire had done—at the ruined walls, the charred furniture.

"Dear me," she gasped, her face livid, "if I didn't think he'd go as far as that."

"How are your bees this year, old man?"
"Pretty good. Very little honey—but they stung my mother-in-law twice."

Smart: "More than 5,000 elephants go each year to make piano keys."
Stouter: "Really? It's remarkable what animals can be trained to do."

Henpeck, safely out of his wife's hearing for once, was letting himself go. To a friend who complained of some domestic difficulty he said, grandly: "My dear chap, we never have trouble of that sort in our house. If I say a thing is to be done, I insist upon it being done."

"And is it?"
"Of course—er—even if I have to do it myself."

The head of a motoring concern was admonishing his new secretary, "Look here," he said, flourishing one of her efforts, "you haven't the remotest idea of spelling. If you know you've spelt 'pneumatic' 'sewamatic'."

"I'm sorry," said the girl, drawing herself up haughtily, "but the 'it' on my machine is not working."

"My little boy is very polite," said Brown. "Only the other day a bus he pointed out an empty seat to a dear old lady and then raced her for it."

"The last time I gave you money," said the old lady, "you promised you wouldn't walk straight into a public-house and spend it."

"That's right," said the tramp. "Well, as soon as you got the money, you did."

"Lady, don't you know the difference between a walk and a sprint?"

A doctor was asked by a patient who had met with a serious accident: "Doctor, how long shall I have to lie here?"

The doctor answered, cheerily: "Only a day at a time."

PEGGY



Chemical Weed Control

By H. E. Wood : Chairman of Manitoba Weed Commission

This is the first of a three series of articles that will deal with weed control, mainly by means of chemicals.

The Weed Problem In Grain Crops

Since my association with weeds and their control, I have been greatly concerned with the staggering toll weeds take, year after year. Many factors contribute to this, chief of which are:

1. The productive soils so generally met with throughout the Prairies.
2. Our system of extensive, mechanized grain farming.
3. Not a little carelessness on the part of most farmers in planting imperfectly cleaned seed in land more or less polluted with weeds.

Following closely upon the introduction, less than 10 years ago of "selective" chemicals for the control of weeds in growing crops there has been a growing interest on the part of the majority of farmers to beat weeds. This is most encouraging. One might even say that the interest farmers are showing in weed control is setting the pace at which scientists and weed authorities are working to meet this challenge.

So far this year throughout Western Canada, farmers have used all means at their disposal to destroy weeds, other than by the use of chemicals. I am supposing tillage implements have been widely used to prepare a clean seed bed as possible and that in general pure seed, reasonably free of weed seeds has been planted. Over the next month to six weeks, 2,4-D and other chemicals, used properly will be found to be a further very important aid in killing weeds in 15 to 20 millions of acres of crops in Western Canada. There are still thousands of farmers who are not using this modern method of controlling weeds in grain crops. Moreover, the cost of using weed killing chemicals is very moderate. It is the hope of those preparing and sponsoring this series of talks, that the information they contain may assist in the wider use of chemicals in the best and most efficient manner.

Present-Day Aids in Chemical Weed Control
Less than 30 years ago soil-sterilant chemicals were introduced. They are being used in increasing amounts agriculturally, more especially for several of the deep-rooted and very persistent perennial weeds such as Leary Spurge and Healy Cross.

The introduction in 1945 of 2,4-D set a new pace to chemical weed control. Here was a weed-killer that could be used on growing crops—the cereals and flax—with little or no danger of damage to the crop and yet effective in killing or checking the growth of many broad-leaved weeds. The chemical was safe to handle, could be applied readily as a spray or dust, and was relatively cheap. Since it first came into use the price has come down to where it now costs only 25 to 35 cents per acre for material.

You are reading and hearing about another chemical quite similar to 2,4-D namely MCP. MCP is a close cousin of 2,4-D and has been widely used in Britain and European countries. It is rather less harsh in its action than 2,4-D and is being recommended for some of the more sensitive crops, particularly oats, flax, field peas and alfalfa. More will be said about MCP in a later talk.

Then too, we have TCA. Early trials indicated its usefulness when applied to couch or quack grass. More recently it has been found to be very effective when applied to flax fields infested with green foxtail or wild millet. Used along with 2,4-D or MCP, the combination will kill most weeds except wild oats. A later talk will be devoted to treating flax with TCA. Other chemicals are under trial but so far are not recommended for general use.

Be Ready to Treat Your Crop
In trying to find out why 2,4-D is more widely used by farmers of Western Canada, I am beginning to believe that failure to have the chemical on hand and the sprayer or dusting machine ready to go, the job is completed by nightfall of that same day. On the other hand, suppose a trip to town has to be made for the 2,4-D. Worse still the sprayer has not been over-hauled—wasn't even cleaned and sited when last used nearly a year ago. The balance of Monday and Tuesday are spent in getting things ready, only to find the much needed rain comes that night. The farmer then has to wait until early the following week. The farmer then finds that under ideal conditions, the chemicals of June that both the weeds and crop are far past the best time for treatment. Herein, I do believe lies one of the main reasons why most crops are not treated with chemical.

My suggestions are twofold:
1. That your sprayer or dusting machine be carefully checked. Try out the machine before ever taking it to the field. With a sprayer, put several gallons of clean water into the tank and run it through in order to test pumps, pressure gauge, nozzles, screens, etc. I cannot stress the advantage of being ready ahead of rather than following the weeds.

2. That you purchase now if you have not done so already; the necessary chemical you will be needing. Furthermore, I am satisfied that for every one farmer who treats his crop with chemical too early, 99 or more treat on the late side. Let's be prepared this season for the weeds. They never wait for us.

BLIND TRAPPER
DILLON, Sask.—Mr. Sarah San, a blind native widow in her 40's, supports her family by trapping, and she's an expert. In the last trapping season she brought in more beaver and muskrat pelts than any other trapper in the Dillon area, 225 miles northwest of Prince Albert.

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Jones Family Hold Reunion

Sons and daughters and families of the late Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Jones who came from Illinois in 1906 and settled on homesteads east of town, gathered from far and near at Elk Island Park, Alberta, on June 28, 1953, when 43 members of the clan Jones held a family reunion and recounted many of the incidents of the past years in this district where the Jones family was prominent in sports, musical organizations and business life. Since then the members of the family dispersed to many places and none remain here locally.

Present at the reunion were Mrs. Lee Harvey (Nelle Jones) of Taft, California; Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Jones, Palm Springs, California; Mr. and Mrs. Evan Jones Sr., and Harold; Mr. and Mrs. "Buzz" Jones and three children; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Pearson (Dorothy Jones) and two children, Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. Art Jones and two children, Devon, Alta.; Mr. and Mrs. Evan Jones Jr., and two children, Elk Point; Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jones and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones and three children, Vermilion; Ray Jones, Vermilion; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jones, Gary and Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones and three children, Irma.

The only one not present was Norman Jones, of Pincher Creek.

America's Newest Big Circus Coming to Viking

Traveling on its own special caravan containing car after car crammed and jammed with wonders, and cage after cage of animals from every land, with tons upon tons of equipment, properties and devices and rigging, the all new, streamlined Wallace and Clark Wild Animal Circus will arrive in Viking early in the morning of Monday, August 10 and immediately a tented city will rise in air. The first tent to be erected will be the "cook-house," where all circus personnel are fed, and next, the animal and horse tents, then the "big top" and sideshows. Huge elephants and horses play a prominent part in the erection of this tented city.

For the first time, the Canadian public will have the opportunity of viewing "Mighty Goliath," largest hippopotamus ever captured. This huge beast weighs over four tons and is transported on a special iron bound and steel barred den. The performance of the Wallace and Clark Wild Animal Circus is acclaimed by press and public as being high class in every respect, and no doubt this popular traveling institution will be greeted by large audiences when it exhibits in Viking Monday, August 10 for an afternoon and night performance.

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Acclaimed by press and public as being one of the most daring and graceful of all circus performers. She is coming to Viking with the Wallace & Clark Wild Animal Circus on Monday, August 10th.

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One of the outstanding acts with Wallace & Clark Wild Animal Circus coming to Viking on Monday, August 10th.

Kinsella News

(July 8)
Mr. and Mrs. W. Maggs received the sad news from B.C. last week of the death of their daughter Betty.

Mrs. G. Paterson attended the wedding of her sister Miss Christie Milne and Mr. Cecil Burridge in Calgary on Saturday, July 4. Mrs. E. Townsend of Mannville and Miss Hazel Overbo of Edmonton visited relatives here on the Dominion Day holiday.

Murray Davis who is stationed at Rivers, Manitoba, is spending a month's leave at his home here. George Smith of Edmonton is holidaying with his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beschell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. P. Mollier, Mr. and Mrs. B. Armitage, Miss F. Brown, Mr. D. Brown, Mr. C. Overbo, Mr. J. Mollier attended the Ponoka stampede.

Week-end visitors here were Mr. and Mrs. J. Beschell, Misses Shirley Davis, Olga Mulowka, Mr. J. Barker, Mr. D. Christensen, Mr. Louis Pederson, all of Edmonton, Mr. Stan Stevens of Wildwood and Mr. Lowell Pederson of Edson.

Miss Frances Brown has accepted a position in the Simmons and Son store.

(July 13)
Mr. and Mrs. C. Burradg of Calgary visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Paterson for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Maggs and family who have resided here for about eighteen years, left on Thursday to make their home in Hinesburg. Before leaving they were presented with a purse of money from their Kinsella friends.

The annual Sunday School picnic was held at Camp Lake Wednesday afternoon. Bathing, foot-races, peanut scrambles were all enjoyed. Treats of chocolate bars and ice cream and pop were distributed and at the close of an enjoyable afternoon a bountiful picnic lunch was served.

Henry and Lenard Scott of Peace River are at present visiting relatives in this district.

On the occasion of her birthday Miss Patricia Carpenter entertained her friends at a bathing party at Camp Lake last Thursday.

Everett Loney of Alix is holidaying with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. Marks.

Mr. J. F. Murray left on the flyer Saturday evening for an extended holiday in England. Before leaving Mrs. Murray received good wishes and gifts from the Ladies Aid, W.I., and Royal Purple.

Mr. J. Sowinski of New Westminster, B.C., has been visiting his grandmother Mrs. J. Sowinski and other relatives here.

Mrs. R. Batt of Portage La Prairie and Miss H. Atkins of Winnipeg are at present guests at the home of Mrs. J. Johnston.

Mrs. P. Ambler and sons of Peace River and Mr. R. Ambler of Grande Prairie recently visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Loades.

Week-end visitors here included Miss O. Jack of Edmonton, Mr. A. Kosteriva and Mr. P. Kosteriva of Lloydminster.

(July 20)
Misses Harriet and Kathleen Borlwick of the Overleigh district are holidaying with relatives in Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Squair of New Westminster, B.C., are visiting their sons and daughter-in-law in the Overleigh district.

The news of the death of Mrs. B. Travis of Regina who lived for many years at Camp Lake, was received by friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ross and Carol of Dapp visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Loades last week.

Miss Nancy Berez of Edmonton is spending a two weeks holiday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Smith and family of Edmonton were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Beschell.

Mrs. B. C. Carpenter, Patricia and Alice attended the Edmonton Exhibition last week.

Young people from Kinsella attending the short course at the Vermilion school of agriculture are Patricia Carpenter, Marilyn Paterson, Betty Olsenberg, Dorothy Smith, Carol Garvie, Mae Cormack, Betty Armitage, Margaret Murray, George Carpenter and Malcolm McKie.

The monthly meeting of the W.I. will be held on Saturday, July 25 at 3 p.m. in the United Church. The show this Friday evening, July 24 is "The Jackpot."

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EDMONTON REPORT

By Donald F. Smith

(Special to the Viking News)

EDMONTON—What is the future of farming under continued mechanization? Does it mean that the farmer is liable to become the employee of large farming companies holding vast tracts of land and working it with ever-improving types of farm equipment?

That isn't the way Stuart S. Lee, general manager of Cockshutt Farm Equipment Ltd., Brantford, Ont., sees it. Interviewed while here on a business visit with S. Gordon Cockshutt, company president, Mr. Lee described some of the developments and aims of the farm implement business.

While he forecast bigger and bigger farms as a result of machinery he did not believe the farmer would ever become just an employee.

"A farmer is too much of an individualist," he said "He is an important citizen and the success of his farm depends to a large extent on his own ingenuity."

"No, I don't think they will become cogs in a large-scale farming machine. They are not seeking a five-day week and although they work longer hours, they are compensated by being their own boss."

The increasing size of the farms, of course, will mean fewer farmers, a trend that has been taking place for many years. Percentage-wise, Mr. Lee estimated that where 85 percent of the nation's population was engaged in producing food years ago, it is now down to about 20 percent.

"The objective of our industry," he said, "is to make it possible for one-man farming operations. With farm labor so scarce, with more and more persons seeking city wages, the farmer has to do his own work."

He suggested that with the development of the self-propelled combine the harvesting end of farming "is pretty well looked after" and the methods of haying are being studied. He said the hay bailer is the most popular method of haying in the west today.

The trend is to hydraulic equipment in all types of farm machinery.

Great and recent strides in farm motive power were indicated in the interview with Mr. Lee. The use of the tractor on a wide scale is a development of the past dozen years, during which time, Mr. Lee estimated the number of tractors on Canadian farms had increased

eight-fold. Today there are about 400,000 tractors performing the work that not so long ago depended on a vast army of horses and is still carried on in many countries by horses, oxen and even elephants.

Despite the number in use the tractor population is increasing by about 55,000 a year. There are about 4,000,000 in use in the U.S.

"A farmer just can't afford to do his work any other way today," the implement man said. "The next major development will be power steering for tractor and combine."

As far as the implement industry itself is concerned the problem of getting steel has eased and the period between ordering and delivery has been shortened—but another problem is cropping up. Steel and labor costs are rising.

It puts the business in the middle because while it pays more for materials and labor, the customer of farm machinery, the farmer, is finding his prices for produce, and consequently his income, going down. Asked if the price of implements is going to go up, Mr. Lee said it would if it were not for the decrease in farm prices.

The most serious situation the industry is the lack of an export market. Many countries are in need of machinery to improve farming methods and produce the food necessary to feed vast populations, but they haven't the dollars to buy the machinery from non-sterling countries. The trade Canada had before, Mr. Lee explained, is largely sought now by countries under the sterling monetary system, with West Germany becoming a large factor.

But the old world countries are seeking the advice of Canadian implement companies. Cockshutt has an arrangement with Iran, where, by men of that country study the handling and servicing of farm machinery in the company's Canadian plant.

Incidentally, this company now has a major sideline that is a long way from producing farm machinery. Under contract with and supervision of the Canadian government, the company is tooling flame tubes for jet planes such as the Sabre and Rolls Royce. Mr. Lee suggested it could become a major part of the company operation should jet power come into general civilian use.

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MR. ALFRED O. ARNTSON, C.C.F. CANDIDATE

Above is pictured the C.C.F. candidate for the Battle River - Camrose Federal Constituency, Mr. Alfred O. Arntson, a 34 year old Merchant of Hay Lakes, Alberta, who served four and a half years in the R.C.A.F. during the war and was the C.C.F. Federal candidate in the Camrose constituency in 1949. Mr. Arntson is a member of the Canadian Legion and was born on a farm in the Hay Lakes District.

(Inserted by the Campaign Committee Battle River - Camrose Federal Constituency Assoc.)

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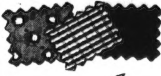
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Locals

Miss Alice McMann of Fargo, N.D., and Mrs. Blake of Portland Oregon were recent visitors here with their niece Mrs. N. V. Ashdown. Other visitors at the Ashdown home were Mr. and Mrs. C. Feero of Edmonton.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Savard were the former's sister Mrs. Lin and her husband and children of Trail, B.C., also Mrs. Moyer of Vancouver.

The summer Bible School of the Christian and Missionary Alliance Tabernacle was for the two weeks July 15-29 and was well attended.

The F. M. Hill family hold something of a record here, for there were three weddings in that family during the past two weeks. First, L.S.R.M. S. W. Hill brought home a Scottish bride from Nova Scotia then Ted Hill was married in Edmonton to Miss Boyd of Jarow and lastly Miss Aletha Hill and Mr. Hughie Tomlinson were wed in Irma on Saturday last. We understand that the three young couples are planning a triple wedding dance at Irma in the near future. Long life and happiness to them all!

Mrs. D. L. Tate and Mrs. Alice Flewelling have been holidaying in B.C. with Miss Margaret Tate.

We regret that the list of hostesses as published in the account of Laurina Ostad's shower was incomplete. The correct list is as follows: Mrs. McFarland, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. Rohrer, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Chase, Mrs. Long, Mrs. Coffin, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Kirkman, Mrs. Gunn, Mrs. Simmermon, Mrs. Sampson, Mrs. Anquist, Mrs. Milne, Mrs. Symington, Mrs. Drewicki, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. Clumstad and Mrs. McBurney.

The Smallwood families and Mrs. Tripp have been on a journey to Hanna to celebrate the Silver Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. E. Mills, the former Maude Smallwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gray and children of Edmonton were Irma visitors this week.

Mrs. C. Pyle and Mrs. A. E. Knudson have just returned from an enjoyable trip to Calispel, Mon., National Glacier Park and Calgary Stampede.

The members of the 4H Wheat Club of Irma with Mr. Nissen are enjoying a bus trip to Calgary. They have many interesting and educational projects for this tour and have promised a good write up for the Times when they return.

Flight Lieutenant Wm. Archer was inducted as a chaplain with the RCAF at a service in the RCAF chapel at London, Ont. Among those attending this ceremony were our old friends Mr. and Mrs. Bob Charter of Ilderton, Ont.

Mrs. Archer and daughters left Irma on the evening of July 15 to join Ptl. Lieut. Archer at London, Ont., before going on to an RCAF station north of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sampson of Red Deer have been visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. Verne Sampson and family. During their stay here the Sampson families enjoyed a weekend at Cold Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Knudson and sons were holiday visitors to Lake Wabamun.

The next regular meeting of the Junior W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Larson on July 28. Devotional, Mrs. N. McMillan, Hostesses, Mrs. Fischer and Mrs. Drewicki, Program, Mrs. Torrance. Roll call, Your Favorite Bible verse.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Drewicki motored to Lamont on July 15 to attend a wedding reception held in honor of Mrs. Drewicki's brother and his bride.

Sgt. and Mrs. H. Lewis and daughter Debbie are visiting here at the home of Mrs. Lewis' parents Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McFarland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Anquist and family had a very enjoyable holiday at Jasper and Banff.

Rev. H. W. Inglis, Mrs. Inglis and family are on a motor trip to Chilliwack, B.C.

Next Sunday evening at 7:30, Mr. L. Ling, student minister at Jarow will conduct the service at the Irma United Church. The next two Sundays there will be no United Church service. That will be a good opportunity for members of the congregation to visit with the congregations at our other Irma churches.

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Mr. O. Nissen attended the convention for 4H Club Leaders at Olds recently and received his certificate for ten years of successful leadership in 4H wheat club work.

A very enjoyable time was had by the boys from Irma who attended the Provincial Rifle Shoot at Sarcee ranges near Calgary. Roy Reber, Ole Raasok, Percy Congdon and Robert Hansen. Mr. Hansen was successful in bringing home one of the Trophies, winning the first match on the perfect score. This was the Harry Jaques Trophy. Congratulations.

Our 8 Trail Ranger lads who had been camping at Czar Lake for a week with their leader Mr. Inglis, returned to Irma on Saturday. They report perfect weather and a full and enjoyable program. Irma boys who attended the Czar Lake camp are Joe Rohrer, Gordon Lovig, Ian Inglis, Hugh Inglis, Harold Anquist, Harold Loades, Adrian Lovig and Wayne Pendleton.

Mr. Raymond Terry of Edmonton spent last Friday at the Art Gwinn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughie Millar and children of Edmonton were recent weekend-end visitors with the Art Gwinn's.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Pyle were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Goddard, the former Pat Glover, who were on honeymoon and Mr. and Mrs. J. Morrow the former Rose Sharkey.

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